NICKEL (Ni) \*\*/\*

OSHA PEL: 1mg/M<sup>3</sup>

ACGIH TLV: lmg/M<sup>3</sup>

## PHYSICAL DATA

Appearance: Silvery-white, hard, malleable and ductile metal

Melting Point: 1455°C

## PHYSIOLOGICAL EFFECTS

Excess inhalation of nickel fumes has been associated with respiratory cancer. Nickel is a potential sensitizer and may cause allergic reactions.

Nickel has been recognized as a suspect carcinogen by NTP and LARC.

## REACTIVITY DATA

Nickel is incompatible with strong acids, sulfur, nickel nitrate, wood, other combustibles, methanol hydrogen, non-metals, oxidants and aluminum.

\*\*California Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986

Chemical Known to Cause Cancer: Nickel (CAS 7440-02-0)

